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Canada Forges Ahead

Canada has experienced some very difficult and trying years since the close of the Great War, but it is to be recognized that in this respect the Dominion has not differed greatly from other countries, and with the possible exception of the United States, this country has fared better than others. Of the great industries to which Canadians devote themselves, agriculture has suffered the most and those engaged in it have experienced the greatest disappointments. Nevertheless, it is agriculture which is responsible for the marked progress which Canada is making in world trade and commerce, and although the volume of Canada's farm production this year will be considerably less than a year ago, the financial return to the producers may not be, because of existing world conditions, fall much below last year's figures.

Not only has Canada largely recovered from the after effects of the war without any great disturbances and re-established herself on a firm peace-time basis, but this Dominion has moved forward and occupied a much more prominent and important place in the markets of the world, and, as already noted, the backbone of this development has been agriculture.

The most gratifying feature of Canada's trade development is found in the steadily increasing ratio of exports over imports. During the twelve months ended May 31 last the Dominion had a favorable trade balance of nearly \$200,000,000. During that period the value of Canadian products exported was \$1,069,715,580, while imports totalled \$752,367,532. Exports increased by \$110,000,000 over the preceding year, while imports increased by \$22,600,000. The chief increase in exports was in agricultural products, wood and paper.

In other words, Canada is becoming more and more a self-contained country, while through the development of its own resources it is able to pay its debts abroad in products rather than through the export of money; it is rapidly developing into a creditor nation which inevitably will be reflected in the increased prosperity and wealth of the Canadian people.

Closely allied with this gratifying trade expansion is another and also gratifying evidence of national development and strength. Not so very many years ago the great bulk of Canada's trade both in exports and imports to and from foreign countries passed through English and United States ports. Today Canada's exports to and imports from these countries pass to a great extent directly through Canada's own seaports. For example, export and import trade through the port of Montreal rose from \$26,326,817 in 1922 to \$58,098,136 this year, with the result that Montreal now occupies the proud position of fifth among the great seaports of the world, ranking after New York, London, Liverpool and Hamburg, and being surpassed on this continent by New York alone. Substantial increases are also shown by Quebec, Halifax and St. John.

Even more striking is the growth of trade in and out of Vancouver. Two years ago Vancouver's total ocean-borne trade amounted to \$90,692,836. This year the total is over \$152,000,000. Exports from Vancouver this year are in excess of exports and imports combined two years ago. Vancouver has in recent years rapidly overtaken other ports on the Pacific coast until in tonnage handled it is exceeded by only two of them, and leads the entire coast as an exporter of grain, and this trade is only in its infancy.

Notwithstanding the national shortsightedness of Eastern interests in opposing the completion of the Hudson Bay Railway, that road will eventually be completed and the Bay out for Western products opened. When that day comes, and it cannot longer be delayed, the figures of Canada's trade through its own ports will be substantially increased.

The touring British scientist seem unanimous in predicting that Canada is on the eve of still greater development. They have expressed themselves as wonderfully impressed with the possibilities of the Dominion for continued expansion along agricultural lines, and also in the development of great industries based on the natural resources of the country.

When adverse weather conditions, or temporary economic periods of depression overtake the world, many Canadians become disconsolate and talk of ruin. There is not the slightest ground for any such gloomy forebodings. Canada is essentially sound; it is strong and growing stronger; it is enormously rich in as yet undeveloped resources. There is ample room for confidence, but no room whatever for pessimism. Canadians need to cultivate a little more patience. That, combined with confidence and hard work, will make Canada one of the greatest and most prosperous countries in the world.

Epidemic Of Death Rays

Russian Government Has Been Bombed With Letters From Inventors

Russian inventors, since the announcement of Mr. Gindell-Matthews' "death ray" discovery, have bombarded the Government with letters describing similar experiments made recently in various parts of Russia.

An electrical engineer in Kiev writes that with an electric current of 110 volts, 50 amperes, he can light a cigarette at a considerable distance and has succeeded in melting a sheet of iron at a distance of 85 feet.

Another engineer, a Government school instructor, submits proof that he lighted a lamp at 6 feet 6 inches, made from dust enclosed in a glass bulb red hot, and stopped a hand dynamo.

A naval electrician writes that he was reprimanded when, by the use of a light ray, he kept the seaman's cigarettes alight in a cruiser when matches were forbidden, and later was imprisoned after an experiment with his special ray, by which he set fire to a canvas tent at a distance of 98 feet.

Encouragement
Old McFadd—Do you collect any thing?

Young Smart—I collect my London has no fewer than thirty places of worship where the services are conducted in the Welsh language.

Treasure Is Recovered

Whole Consignment Of Gold Laundry Has Been Rescued

The discovery of an unexpected storing place in the fore part of the liner Laurentic, which was sunk by a German submarine in 1917 at the mouth of Lough Swilly on the Northern Irish coast, has enabled divers to rescue £250,000 worth of gold bars which had been given up for lost. The divers have been working intermittently for six years to recover from Davy Jones' locker the consignment of £7,000,000 in gold and silver bullion. The whole consignment of treasure has now been recovered.

Pools of Solomon Well Built

The pools of Solomon, named for a locality rather than for the famous king, were built by Roman engineers to provide a water supply for Jerusalem. The three pools, which are eight miles from the city, are fed by large springs and have a total capacity of forty million gallons. The Romans built so well that after the many centuries of disuse the pools, the springs and the aqueducts had only to be cleaned and the locks repaired to give Jerusalem again an excellent water supply.

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The kind of publicity Canada needs in Great Britain is to send men and women there who were originally from the Old Land and have made good and are happy, and contented in Canada to tell of their experience and how to go about emigrating. In the opinion of Mrs. Charles H. Thurnburn, of Ottawa, honorary commissioner on behalf of Canada to the British Exhibition and Canadian Government delegates to the International Labor Conference at Geneva, who returned home recently, Mrs. Thurnburn is making a report to the Minister of Labor on the Labor Conference. She paid high tribute to Tom Moore, President of the Canadian Trades and Labor Congress, who, she said, was the sanest labor leader at the conference.

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Canadians Return From U.S.

Over Eighteen Thousand Wander Back During Period of Three Months

A pronounced return movement of Canadians from the United States is indicated in immigration figures made public.

During the four months of April, May, June and July of the present year, a total of 15,870 Canadians returned to Canada from the United States. Of this total 16,166 were Canadian-born citizens, 1,646 were British subjects who had acquired Canadian domicile, and 1,058 were classed generally as "Canadian citizens."

Immigration for the four months showed an increase of 17 per cent over the same period last year. The total number of immigrants entering Canada from all countries during April, May, June and July was 64,023, as compared with 51,912 during the same months of 1923. Of this total 32,248 came from the British Isles, 7,005 from the United States and 23,750 from "other countries."

TRIALS OF INDIGESTION

Common Errors About This Trouble Into Which People Fall

Many people so far misunderstand their digestive system as to treat it as though it were a machine, to be worked slugsly, then irritating it into work again by the use of purgatives. The stomach needs help at all times but a study of the process of digestion will show that the errors as commonly taken, are seldom necessary and often harmful.

To safeguard your digestion the diet must be controlled. Over-eating is also harmful, as one must have enough food to supply the needs of the blood. Remember, the blood has to carry nourishment to all parts of the body and find fuel for its energy. It is when the blood is over-full that indigestion arises.

Therefore the sure remedy for indigestion is to build up the body. If you suffer from any form of indigestion, when you sleep naturally, above all, start building up your blood by taking a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Then under the influence of the new blood supply, you will find your appetite improve and your food will do you good. To begin to improve your digestion by starting to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills now.

You can get them in 50 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Experience Of Air Passenger

As a Naper D.H. express from Paris to London was flying above the channel six distinct storms were visible. "It was the most wonderful sight I have ever seen," said a passenger.

"Our plane was in brilliant sunshine, while on all sides were black storm clouds from which rain was falling. The white tops of the clouds towered to a height of from 15,000 to 20,000 feet."

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Air Pilot Made Daring Rescue

President Ebert has awarded the medal for bravery to Air Pilot Max Tuxes, of Hamburg, for an extraordinary aerial feat. Last January, Tuxes made a perilous landing on an ice cake in the North Sea, on which was a stoker who had been left as a watchman on a wrecked motorship. The man was half starved and had given up hope of rescue.

Minard's Liniment for Dandruff

Astronomer Is To Map Southern Cross

Dr. Hussey Brings Long Experience to His Tedious Task

Mapping the heavens that look down upon "the Land of the Southern Cross," to complete the list of double stars that swing out to the south of this continent, is a task Dr. W. J. Hussey, of the University of Michigan, expects to begin within a year.

With other astronomers he has listed the double stars of the north. In the times he has been in the southern hemisphere he has found a small number. His quarter century search for a location probably ended, he expects to devote seven or eight years in completing the works.

He will take a 27-inch telescope. His probable location will be Naval Observatory down upon Bloemfontein in the Orange Free State, although it may be chosen. He found points near Bloemfontein had the advantage of great clarity of atmosphere, visibility to the horizon edge and almost no clouds—a night a year.

From his experience searching among the northern stars, Dr. Hussey believes that the third of the sky not mapped will add 1,500 double stars above the ninth magnitude to those already known.

Students Visit Mines

Under Graduates of U.S. University Made Tour of Canadian Mines

On a tour of inspection of the mining industries of Canada and the Northern United States, 32 under graduates of the School of Mines at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa., visited Toronto recently. Travelling by motor, the party covered 3,500 miles during the five weeks of their tour.

From Toronto, the six cars travelled to North Bay, from which centre side trips were taken to Cobalt, Porcupine, Kirkland Lake, Sudbury and other towns of Northern Ontario, leaving Canada by way of Sault Ste. Marie. On the return journey, the chief mining centres of Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, and Pennsylvania were visited. Complete camping equipment was carried and all nights were spent under canvas.

The tour formed a part of the regular mining curriculum at Lehigh University, credit being given for attendance and participation in the tour.

Vikings Of The Air

Indomitable Spirit of Adventure Is Lending Assistance to Science

The whole science of flight is still in its infancy. It can only progress by steady research and constant experiment. There we have the true scientific justification for the magnificently adventurous flights which have rendered this summer memorable. Only by the courage and resolution of a few skilled pilots, in ever-lengthening voyages through the air can the problem of aviation be fully solved.

It is here that the indomitable spirit of man, with his unequalled love of adventure, comes again to the aid of the scientist and the mechanic. Whitman, he said, had the right idea when he stated, "I am a pilot in the sky, and paid tribute to the giant efforts of the British airmen.

Major MacLaren spoke to reporters of his first visit to Vancouver in 1917. "Of course, I was flat broke most of the time," he said cheerfully, "but I know of no country where one can have a better time on less money.

"I landed here with rather less than \$25 in my pocket—and no job. Not being a starting success as a budding business man in England—my people thought I should probably be very little good for the west; so I came, I saw, and I got a job as tinsmeker—and enjoyed every minute of it."

Quite a Difference

I know an expert who is devoted to dairying, and has a lecture telling how superior pure-breds are to scroobs. He confided this blunder to me: He was once at a dairy congress, and said to a practical dairyman: "Of course I am familiar with the Jersey breed. But what is the difference between the ordinary Jersey and the Red Duroc Jersey?"

The farmer replied there was as much difference in the world, as was one a cow, and the other a pig.

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The contrast of my first arrival here 13 years ago and the wonderful welcome I am now receiving here—well, it's rather overcoming, you know, it's wonderful to me that since we did not 'make the grade' so to speak, the people here still take an interest in us. I feel I can say enough in appreciation of the splendid aid Canada has given us. Without her aid and the fine assistance of the Thielby, it is hardly likely we should be here.

The warmth of our welcome here only adds to the obligations of myself and my companions to the Dominions."

Only One American In List

Eighteen men who made the greatest contributions to learning in the history of the world have been selected by the professors of the University of Washington for statues to decorate the new library building of the university.

Benjamin Franklin is the only American in the list.

In the manufacture of adrenaline crystals, used to raise the blood pressure in case of collapse and so on, 50,000 excess are required to supply the crude material for a single pound. This material is made from a small gland which surrounds the kidney, and was discovered by Takamine, the Japanese medical scientist.

There is a collection of nearly 300,000 finger prints in Scotland Yard.

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Mars Still A Mystery

Will Bring Severe Storm to Earth in 1925 Says Mars

The planet Mars is just as much a mystery to human knowledge as it has been for centuries, according to Miss Belle Bart, Director of the American Academy of Astrology. Many leading astronomers are of the opinion that the planet would be near enough in August to ascertain whether it is inhabited, what kind of life flourishes there, and whether communication can be established.

Miss Bart, in a statement, announced that the dense ethers surrounding the earth and Mars cannot be penetrated by instruments now in use. Not until 1944, she said, will we be able to learn anything about the perplexing planet.

Mars has a few surprises in store for the earth, according to Miss Bart. In April, 1925, Mars, due to its position in relation to neighboring planets, will cause a storm of electricity such as has never been equalled upon the earth, Miss Bart warns. The storm will be destructive only in certain regions of the world. The demonstration will repeat itself with added intensity in the spring of 1928. In March, 1922, Mars will be in opposition to Neptune and close to the earth, thus causing great electro-magnetic pressure upon the earth, particularly on the Atlantic seaboard of the United States.

Miss Bart predicts that radio will be used in 1944 to prove the existence of inorganic and organic life on Mars. The use of radio waves also will bring us nearer to the solution of the mystery of space, and this in turn will have an important bearing on the probability of the prolongation of human life.

Muscular Rheumatism Subdued

When one is a sufferer from muscular rheumatism he cannot do better than to have the region rubbed with Dr. E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Rubbing the back and continue until ease is secured. There is more virtue in a bottle of it than can be fully estimated.

Was Friend of White Race

Head Man of Eskimos in Mackenzie River District Is Dead

Havink, head man of the Eskimos at the mouth of the Mackenzie River, and staunch friend of the government, died, on the delta of the Mackenzie this summer, word of his death having reached Edmonton by travellers who arrived from the Arctic Circle. Havink, besides hunting and trapping and trading with a schooner on the Arctic, was official interpreter for the Mounted Police. He assisted in the capture of the two Eskimos who were hanged for the murder of Roman Catholic priests, and served as interpreter in their trial.

An aerial defense gas that makes it impossible for anyone breathing to ascend higher than 6,000 feet is reported to have been invented in Germany.

MOTHER OF LARGE FAMILY
Recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to Other Mothers

Henford, N. S.—"I am the mother of four children and I was so weak after my last baby came that I could not do my work and suffered for months until I found Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Since taking the Vegetable Compound my weakness has left me and the pain in my back has gone. All my friends have been delighted with the wonderfulness of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for I think it is the best medicine ever sold. You may advertise my letter."—Mrs. GEORGE L. CROUSE, Henford, N. S.

My First Child

Gen. Alvin A. York—"I have been greatly assisted by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for bearing-down feelings and pains. I was troubled in this way in nearly four years following the birth of my first child. At that time I had a neighbor who recommended the Vegetable Compound to me after I had taken doctor's medicine without success. I have never had a pain since taking the Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicine Co., Cobourg, Ontario, for a free copy of Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon 'Ailments Peculiar to Women.'

W. N. U. 1540

Presenting A Vision Of The Prosperous Days Ahead For The Western Provinces

That the Canadian west contains more than two millions and a half of people has little or no meaning to those who cannot look back on the days before yesterday. There may be pessimists in the Dominion, but they are not to be found among those whose lives have run parallel with the development of the prairie provinces. To realize by experience and observation what has happened during the past 50 years west of the Ontario boundary is to have a vision of the Canada that is to be. No one can be filled with finer vision than the liveliest hopes who is familiar with our progress.

The story of Manitoba makes stirring reading. In 1870 it was given provincial autonomy, and a year later elected its first representatives to the House of Commons. Among them was the late Lord Strathcona, then Mr. Donald A. Smith, who had been a clerk for the Hudson's Bay Company in Labrador and had made his way to a peer of the Empire. The romance of Strathcona was really the romance of the west, for in 1871 Winnipeg consisted of 27 houses in which dwelt 241 persons all told. Today it is a splendid city of 180,000. The province itself was then settled at but a few points, and appears in the first census as having a population of 25,628. In 1921 it contained 600,000. The growth of Manitoba tells the story of the other western provinces.

Saskatchewan and Alberta did not come into the official reckoning until 1901, and in that year they registered a joint population of 164,301. Twenty years later the figures were 1,35,961. During the same two decades, British Columbia expanded from a population of 175,657 to 521,582. It is impossible to take cognizance of such growth in numbers without realizing what it means in rising national strength, and all that such strength implies. Only the myopic and feeble-hearted can fail to be stirred by the vision of the future. Expectation rests on the solid foundation of victorious accomplishment.

Fifty years ago the transportation needs of Western Canada were met by the oxen and horses of the prairie. To-day there are 26,237 miles of railway west of Ontario. In the east there was, not a third of that mileage up to 1880; and, even as matters stand, the preponderance of railway trackage is to the west. With the development of means of communication has come a proportionate contribution to the commerce of the Dominion. Political power has also kept pace with population and trade; so that a glance backward at what has happened suggests both triumph and inspiration.

The retrospect justifies confidence in the days ahead. There are hundreds of thousands of people still living in Canada who can remember when the western provinces were regarded as a desolate wilderness. They were known as a habitat of the buffalo and the source of the fur trade. That they would one day, within the memory of men and women then living, become what they are today— populous, productive and self-contained—was not even a dream. In the face of such a vastly stirring romance in nation building, who would be disposed to put limitations on the Canada of another half century?

Progress and development invariably bring their problems. We have not been spared the companion lot of nations which forge ahead. Growth invariably brings elaboration and often complexity. Rapid growth is frequently at the expense of thoroughness; and as we have grown we have made blunders. We blundered when we permitted these very western provinces, which have contributed so much to our national strength, to over-estimate their transportation needs. We have made other mistakes. But it is impossible to look soberly and impartially at our material advancement without a strong appeal to courage and enterprise, notwithstanding the errors of the past. Our potentialities are enormous. With a sense of pride in what we have done, we should bore our arms for the tasks at hand, in the assurance that adequate effort will inevitably carry us to still more glorious achievement.—Ottawa Journal.

Effect Of Cold On Tin.

Extreme cold often develops disease in tin, which shows little spreading granular spots, and eventually crumbles. In the extreme north tin utensils are said to fail frequently in winter. Tin blocks become powder, but heating converts this again to bright metal.

It is the general rule of Japanese to have only one personal or "given" name.

W. N. U. 1841

Natural Resources Bulletin

Manufacturing Industries Are Increasing In The Prairie Provinces

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa says:

When what are known as the prairie provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, are considered, one naturally thinks of them as wheat-producing areas. They have so often been referred to as the "Granary of the Empire" that one is tempted to lose sight of the fact that a very considerable manufacturing industry is growing up in each of the provinces.

The fact that in 1922 the prairie provinces produced \$167,000,000 worth of raw materials, finished products to the value of \$184,600,000, or an unchanged value of over seventy-seven million dollars, places the manufacturing industry in the front rank as a wealth producer.

Compared with the revenue derived from farm animals and dairy products, manufacturing industry shows a much larger return to the western provinces. The average revenue from farm animals for the five-year period 1918-1922 was \$46,000,000, and from dairy products \$18,500,000.

Vegetable and animal products form a very large proportion of the manufacturing industry of the prairie provinces, and as the raw materials for these plants are practically all supplied by the western provinces, it will be seen that manufacturing is doing a large part in upbuilding the provinces, in bringing in revenue, and in producing a finished product from the natural resources with which the western provinces have been so liberally provided.

Wheat For Billion People

Canada Can Grow Sufficient Wheat To Feed The Empire

Professor George R. Anderson, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Physics and Photography at the University of Toronto, makes the prediction in an article recently published in the Morning Post of London, England, that Canada alone will raise sufficient wheat for over a billion people. A short time ago Prof. Anderson's article was sent by Canadian Press cables and published in part in the leading newspapers of Canada as follows: "Can Canada be surveyed without the conviction that 260,000,000 people can live here in greater prosperity than the 45,000,000 here?" Prof. Anderson asks.

Prof. Anderson's article in the Morning Post is in refutation of gloomy forebodings indulged in by some of the scientists at the recent meeting in Toronto of the British Association for the Advancement of Science with reference to the world's food supply ultimately being insufficient to feed the inhabitants of the earth."

Good Business Policy

Smiling Optimism Is A Great Stimulant To Trade

Optimism pays. At least one Hamilton storekeeper has found that it is good business. He placed a card in his window reading: "Business Is Good." It attracted the attention of a tourist, who walked into the store and made a handsome purchase. "That business man," commented the tourist, "has the right idea." Of course the business man has the right idea, because he is wise in his day. A smiling, optimistic business man is a stimulant to trade just as a cheery, happy-dispositioned fellow acts as a tonic to the dullest of parties. Nothing prolongs a business depression more than the insistent wall, "Things are terribly dull." And nothing vanishes business depression like a smile and an extra roll to the shirt sleeves. A few more "Business Is Good" signs will help tremendously.—Hamilton Herald.

Weekly Budget Cost Less

The average cost of a weekly budget for a family of five using 29 staple foods was \$9.91 at the beginning of July according to the current issue of the Labor Gazette. At the beginning of June it was \$9.56 and \$9.17 for July of last year. Slight advances occurred in the prices of flour, potatoes, butter, eggs and fresh pork. Prices of sugar, mutton, bacon, cheese and beans were lower.

Saskatchewan Automobiles

Last year 64,466 automobile licenses were issued in the province of Saskatchewan, of which 60,931 "were for private cars, 2,086 for trucks, 1,225 for express, 224 for motor cycles. This represents one automobile for each 11.75 people, the population of the province being 757,510.

Farming By Electricity

Demonstration Given In England Before Group of Newspaper Men

Interest aroused at the British Empire Exhibition in the development of electric power in agriculture led to a recent demonstration, arranged by the British Electrical Development Association at Greater Feltown Farm, East Grinstead, England, before a group of newspaper men. The demonstration was a revelation of the limitless extent to which science may profitably be applied to the oldest of industries.

The operations for plowing, harvesting, poultry rearing, milking, and even brewing were all electrically driven. Irrespective of the improved production and decreased costs, the saving in labor alone is demonstrated by the fact that only three horses are employed on Greater Feltown Farm, which is a mixed commercial farm of 600 acres, specializing in eggs and poultry, pigs and milk.

One of the more important developments of electric power applied to farm production is the "making of hay without sunshine." Instead of "turning" the hay by the slow process of allowing the sun to shine on it, the cut grass is seasoned by air conveyed through vertical tunnels in the ricks by electric fans. This method, the demonstrator said, enables the farmer to counteract the vagaries of the weather and also to save labor.

Electric power also is used in the incubator sheds and brooding houses. Fifteen hundred White Leghorn and White Wyandotte hens are kept on the semi-intensive system, 550 birds in each house, averaging 165 eggs for each bird per annum. Electricity was shown to facilitate increased production, and at one incubator for 2,460 eggs two chickens were actually hatched while the process was being described. According to the demonstrator, the farmer got \$52 per cent. results from the electric incubator, as against 65 per cent. from the ordinary method.

The newest of the exhibits was an electrically controlled beehive, said to be the only one of its kind in England, where the diffusion of light and heat lures the bees from their hive on their honey-gathering expedition a month before the usual time, thus enabling the farmer to be the first to place his home-produced honey on the market. —St. Thomas Times-Journal.

England Growing New Wheat

Requires No Mixture of Other Wheats To Produce Good Bread

A new English wheat known as "Venerable" was announced at the International Seed Testing congress held at the National Institute of Botany, Cambridge University. At the luncheon in the staff dining hall bread was served that had been entirely made from this new wheat, which has sufficient strength to produce the highest class loaf of white bread without the admixture of any foreign or Canadian wheat. This is a great advance in wheat growing, and the official report of the National Association of British and Irish Millers on it says that the bread, by long or short baking processes, is extraordinarily good; its good flavor is remarkable, its bloom is excellent, and its crust is first rate, of a rich, bright color. On these lines it supplants anything that has been tested for many years and is incomparably superior to anything obtainable from average ordinary English wheat. There will be 20,000 bushels of this wheat for seed purposes, and great advantages are expected to accrue when it is universally grown.—Toronto Globe.

SCOTTISH GIRLS FOR DOMESTIC SERVICE



The Women's Branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Glasgow, is rapidly creating a reputation in Scotland for attracting the most efficient and experienced cook-general for domestic service in Canada. The number of interesting letters which these girls have sent home to their parents about Canada is the best possible tribute to the Women's Branch and also

Son of Britain's Premier



MALCOLM MACDONALD

son of the British Premier, who is a member of the British university debating team which will compete against Canadian and United States university debaters.

The "Muskeg Wall"

Canadian Great Divide Will Sone Day Be Wonderfully Producing Area

Speaking of the route of Scottish emigrants through Canada, the Montreal Gazette says that they got a glimpse of the agriculture and mining possibilities within the vast areas still awaiting the human power, "and on both sides of the 'muskeg wall' which is supposed to be the Canadian Great Divide."

This article is concerned about the use of the expression "muskeg wall" to describe the great territory that lies between Manitoba and North Bay.

To the west, beyond Lake Superior, there had been no prairies, that area would never have been called a muskeg wall.

It is rich in iron, copper, in other minerals. The figure will in other words do double duty as a second Porcupine and Cessalt country. It has the right geological formation.

It is immensely rich in timber.

Lake Superior, Lake Nipigon and other lakes and rivers teem with fish.

It has valleys and plains topped with great prairie prairie.

Only people are wanted—but human power which the Gazette maintains—to make it, not a Great Divide, but a prosperous, wealth-creating, traffic-producing area, that will unite, not separate, the east and the west.

If there had been no prairie country, no treeless plains, to attract population, the westward movement of people would by this time have settled that northern area.

It is not more difficult today to cut our farm in Northern Ontario than it was for the grandparents of the present generation to have a home out of the stiff forests of Old Ontario.

Mrs. St. Saunth MacCleod, writing her book, "Roughing It in the Bush," nearly one hundred years ago, described the Great Swamp, near Peterborough, Ontario—a swamp so vast that settlement, it was thought, could not leap over it. "Where that swamp was one hundred years ago smiling farms have stood for many years."

As that cedar swamp stood in the way of development and progress in that day, so the "muskeg wall" near Lake Superior stands today—an imagined Divide—but it will yet be a great producing area, rich in the output of its mines, its forests, its lakes and farms.

It will not always be the Great Divide.—From the Calgary Herald.

Nations Of Empire And The World Should Co-operate In Agricultural Research Work

Made Fortune Growing Potatoes

Englishman Started As Laborer and Sold Business for Ten Million

It should not always be assumed that all the best opportunities in agricultural enterprise are on this continent. Enterprise and industry on the soil are still productive of wealth in old England. "If you know the way to dig it up, as an instance, William Dennis, a very wealthy potato grower, has quite recently died at Kirton, in Lincolnshire, England. At 82 years old he was very wealthy, his son had been Britain's potato controller during the war, but the father started as a farm laborer, the son of a farm laborer, than which there are few less wealth-producing tasks in Britain. In 1870 the man bought a three-acre field and grew potatoes—and had his pile of ill-used and wasted crops. But Dennis stuck. He had real ideas, and was early quite a reformer in farming methods, particularly in intensive cultivation.

Within thirty years of starting with a capital of pluck and British gumption, William Dennis became the owner and occupant of three thousand acres. He had selling businesses at King's Cross and Covent Garden in London, in New York and other profitable centres. He was the British "Potato King." Two private limited liability companies were eventually formed and by 1914 they owned some 6,000 acres of the finest potato land in the kingdom. In the same year they purchased a further estate of 22,000 acres. Railways were laid on the farms and modern machinery was introduced. In 1929 a syndicate purchased the whole undertaking for a sum reported to be about \$10,000,000. When King Edward VII was crowned there were huge dinners given to the poor. William Dennis gave 250 tons of potatoes to help out the menu.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Only Making a Beginning.

Seed Selection and Proper Tillage Increases Yield Per Acre

For twenty-nine years experiments have been carried on at the Guelph Agricultural College with the various varieties of wheat. Through this whole period an average yield has been secured of 4.5 bushels per acre, and the yield for the present year is 6.3 bushels. It may not be possible to equal or even to approach this average return under field conditions there or elsewhere in Canada, with winter or spring wheat. But the addendum serves to illustrate the point that selection of breed and seed, and cultivation are factors which greatly affect production. Acreage is not by any means the thing which determines the possible size of the national crop, nor is it the weather conditions along which keep the average yield the country over at a figure less than half that at the Guelph College.

It is a safe estimate that twice the amount of wheat could be grown on the same amount of land that is now cropped in Canada if there was a better selection of varieties and a more scientific handling of the operations.

Canada is already a great wheat-producing country, but its possibilities in that direction are only in the present stage of development. And the settlement of land now unused is not the only way by which the present return can be multiplied. The soil and climate of the Dominion are capable of producing as many bushels of wheat per acre as the soil and climate of England, and will do it when like methods of farming are evolved under pressure of increasing population. Acreage is not the only factor in determining yield per acre.

Tests which we have carried on with soils under a system of two years grain and one summerfallow shows a decrease of thirty per cent. of the nitrogen content of prairie soils during a 22-year period, and of 40 per cent. during a 38-year period," stated Dr. Frank T. Shutt, of the Dominion experimental farms. "Generally speaking, however, impoverishment of the soil has not gone far enough to reduce western grain yields. The distribution of rainfall is probably the most important single element in grain growing on the Canadian prairies. Most of our western soils are still wonderfully rich and will continue so for many years."

Dr. Shutt was doubtful of the value of the summerfallow. "It's bad often overshadowed its good effects," he said. "It destroys soil fibre, allowing drifting and a loss of valuable surface soil. It leads to a loss of nitrogen and organic matter from the land. The introduction of clovers and grasses between the grain crops and the substitution of hay crops such as corn and sunflowers for the summerfallow will conserve fertility and check soil drifting."

Cattle Exports Increase

For the first six months of the present year Canada exported 32,179 cattle to Great Britain and 49,933 to the United States, as compared with 30,029 to Great Britain and 23,659 to the United States in the first six months of 1922, an increase of 18,991 head in favor of the present year.

Big aircraft firms of England plan on producing an airplane for less than 100 pounds' weight. The cost of maintenance and operation will be slight.

Fifty per cent. of the world's gold comes from the Transvaal.

Honey in Southern Alberta
Between 35,000 and 50,000 pounds of honey in his first year in the bee business in Southern Alberta, is the record which George Reidel, of California, expects to set up this year from his 300 colonies of bees in six apiaries throughout the Coaldale Irrigated District. Which is one of the finest bee districts in the world and certainly the best in Canada, according to Mr. Reidel.

Gambling on rainfall is popular in India, where paid watchers keep a lookout for rain clouds and give tips to "speculators" to make their bets.

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More or Less Funny

A Ryley young fellow proposed to a Holden girl the other night, and said he neither drank, smoked, played cards, or swore. And then she asked him if he expected her to marry a frank.

"Holy smoke, but my wife is always pestering me for money," declared a local citizen. "The other day she asked me for \$10, and now she is after me again for \$6." "What does she do with it?" inquired a sympathetic friend. "I don't know," replied, "I've never given her any."

Considerate

Mr. Newell asked: "Did you make those biscuits my dear?"

His wife: "Yes, darling."

He: "Well, I'd rather you would not make any more, sweetheart. You're too light for such heavy work."

Two couples of our young people went into a Kinsella restaurant the other day for lunch. Both of the young ladies ordered chicken sandwiches and the two young fellows ordered canned salmon. Going to the kitchen entrance the waitress shouted to the cook: "Two chickens—two fish."

"Well, how do you find married life?" asked a friend of a young fellow here the other day, who had been married recently. "Oh, pretty fair," he replied, "during courtship I talked and she listened. After marriage she talked and I listened. Now we both talk and the neighbors listen."

A lady entered a local barber shop, looking pale but determined, after weeks of debating whether to bob or not to bob. The barber shrouded her in the usual sheet and began to pick over his kit of gleaming tools, and asked: "How shall I cut it?" She gazed at the tools with a gasp of horror and then quavered: "I think you'd better give me gas."

She Said Something

It is said that a women's club near here devoted to "child welfare" and other kinds of work in which experts give a lot of high toned advice on how to raise children, asked an old-fashioned mother of the town to address them on how she reared her big family of children. She nearly broke up the club when she got up and said:

I feed 'em good, old-fashioned food like bread and milk, mashed potatoes, steak, mush, vegetable soup, pancakes and pie. When they want to wade in the mud I let 'em. If they don't get up when I call 'em or try sassing me or do something I've warned 'em not to, I cut off a willow sprout and give 'em a good tanning. When they get the stomach ache I dose 'em myself. That's all I do to keep 'em in line, except that if they get in bad with the teacher at school I usually find out why; and if the teacherlicked 'em and they needed it I give 'em another so they'll remember it. And they really do pretty well."

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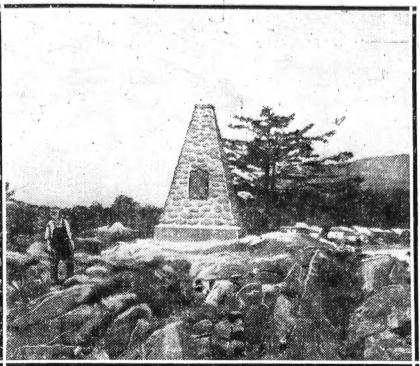
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Historic Site at Friendly Cove, B.C.



The historic past of the Nootka section of the West Coast was recalled recently when Lieutenant-Governor Walter C. Nichol, of British Columbia, unveiled and dedicated a monument commemorating the explorations of those great English navigators, Captain Cook and Captain Vancouver.

The monument, built on the auspices of the Historical Sites and Monuments Board of Canada which is placing similar memorials across the Dominion on sites hallowed by interesting chapters of Canadian history.

A large party travelled on the Canadian Pacific S.S. Princess Maquinna for the ceremony, and the attendees at the ceremony, which included Governor Nichol, H. J. S. Muskett, his secretary, Judge Howay and Mr. Forsyth, Dr. C. S. Newcombe, the well-known historical authority who wrote the "Circumnavigation of Vancouver Island" and Prof. W. N. Sage of the University of British Columbia, Mr. R. B. Macmillan, representing the I.O.D.E., Mrs. and Miss Howay, Thomas D'Arcy, late Indian agent for the Queen Charlotte agency and a pioneer of 1859, Dr. David Donald, Mrs. Cave-Browne-Cave, and Professor Macmillan Brown, chancellor of the University of New Zealand, Dr. William Brown one of the leading ethnologists of the Pacific, and has been spending the summer on the coast investigating the Indians and their customs.

The new monument is seven feet broad by eleven feet high, with a standard size bronze tablet bearing the following inscription: "Nootka Sound Convention, Captain Cook in March 1778. Spanish took possession and established a settlement until 1795. The capture of British vessels in 1789 almost led to war, which was avoided by the Nootka Convention, 1790. Vancouver and Quadra met here in August 1792, to determine the land to be restored under the convention."

A feature of the entertainment provided those who took part in the unveiling ceremony was the Indian dancing, arranged by aborigines from Clayoquot Sound, the Wianinian of the early navigators' journeys.

Tentative plans are afoot for an elaborate pageant to be held at Friendly Cove, Nootka Island, in four years time to celebrate the 150th anniversary of events commemorated by the unveiling of the cairn.

IRMA SCHOOL REPORT FOR OCTOBER

Junior Room

Owing to the recent epidemic of measles nearly 50 per cent of the pupils were absent for two weeks or more during the month of October; consequently, the following report will hardly do justice to those who missed most of their weekly tests.

Grade III.—Alice Biggs 86 per cent; Mary Jones 82; Elmer Erickson 80; Dorothy Glasgow 68; Clarence Barber 65; Don Mathison 65; Mary Stimson 60; Vera Hatch 56; Frank Mathison 50. The following pupils were not graded owing to absence—Elsie Stimson, Keith Tucker, Elmer Pyle, Sam Congdon, Stanley Gultner, Edward Sharkey, Bessie Sharkey.

Grade II.—Avis Colby 83; Leslie Robertson 79; Ellen Hostrup 75; Benjie Maguire 63. Not graded—Harold Tucker, Dolton Herbst, Roy Pyle.

Grade I. (Sr. & Jr.)—Roy Lattner, Harold Barber, Cathleen Taylor, over 80; Albert Glasgow, Jim Mathison, Nina McGregor, Harold Elliott, Virginia Jackson, over 60; Inn Mathison, Fern Stimson, William Milburn, Alitha Knudson, Robert Gultner, Ralph Congdon, not graded.

—G. L. Davies, Teacher.

Senior Room

Grade VIII.—Edith Hostrup 56; Dennis Barber 48; Douglas Hatch 47; Maude Smallwood 40; Lorne Milburn 38; William Blaie 37; Evaline Herbst, not graded.

Grade VII.—Imogene Colby 74; Frank McGuire 41; Myrtle Glasgow 22; Kenneth Mathison 21; Verna Herbert, not graded.

Grade VI.—Grace Love 74; Gerald Glasgow 17; Lucilla Gultner, not graded.

Grade V.—Nancy Hewitt 88; Violet Simmons 83; Beulah Blaie 61; Marie Colby 60; Eleanor Barber 49; Ivor Colby 40; Bernice Mathison 30; Ethel Milburn 27; Not graded: Eva Congdon.

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Mr. Geo. Clark made a trip to Edmonton Thursday.

Gay Jackson returned last Saturday from Winnipeg.

Mr. D. M. Rae of the Department of Neglected Children was in Irma Wednesday on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKay left Thursday morning to spend Thanksgiving with friends in Edmonton.

Earl Tomlinson has rented the J. A. Bewley place south of Strawberry Plains.

Miss Maud Walker left the first of the week to join her mother at Hughenden.

The Ladies Aid are busy getting ready for a bazaar to be held the first of December.

Mr. W. L. Mildon left Monday night to spend the winter at Vancouver and other coast points.

A. Murray, B. & B. foreman for the C. N. R. has had his gang here this week, building a new coal shed and extending the station platform.

The Stork left a bouncing bay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Colby last Saturday, both are doing nicely.

The Irma Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. G. A. Tripp next Thursday afternoon, Nov. 13th. All ladies in the district are invited.

The Irma Skating Rink Association announces the opening of the Rink for Thanksgiving afternoon. Everybody welcome, no charge. A heated waiting room has been provided for the accommodation of skaters.

W. J. Stuart is holding an auction sale for N. S. Beattie next Tuesday when he will dispose of a full line of farm machinery, horses, cattle and household effects. Mr. Beattie has not decided just where he will locate after his sale.

The Irma U. F. A. met in Irma last Thursday. The annual meeting of the Irma Local will be held on Saturday afternoon, December 6th at 2:30 p.m. The officers request a full attendance at this meeting as the election of officers and other important business will place.

Mr. E. Levens, the local harness maker is making a special offer on several sets of hand made harness that he has made up. In order to dispose of these at once he is offering the complete sets for practically the cost of the material. Any farmers needing a set of good harness for winter or spring use should see Mr. Levens before these are sold.

Mr. J. A. Bowley held a very successful sale Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Bowley and family left Thursday morning for their old home at Midway, Tennessee. Mr. Bowley is leaving a lot of friends in the district who think he will return before many seasons. He is leaving on account of his father's health, not that he is discouraged in the district.

Mr. H. Long left Tuesday to spend the winter in Peterboro, Ontario after spending the summer in the Irma district. Mr. Long has been interested in the Irma district for a number of years and has been instrumental in inducing the farmers to try out new strains of wheat and other grains. Mr. Long is credited as being the first man to introduce marquis wheat and Manchuria barley in the district. Last spring he shipped several bushels of early triumph and supreme wheat both of which have made creditable showings and from which he has over two hundred bushels of each variety for disposal next spring.

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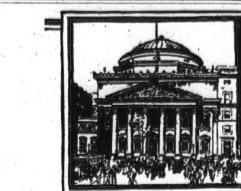
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FOR SALE—Bull, registered Holstein, or will trade for females—J. R. Love, Irma, Alta.

STRAYED—from my place, via Canadian National Railways, the ship's side, Halifax, for Old Country Christmas sailings, are announced elsewhere in this issue. There will be a big demand for these Christmas sailings and those contemplating a trip to the Old Country should book now with the local agent of the Canadian National Railways, who represents all steamship lines and who will be pleased to make complete arrangements for your trip.

Household Helps.

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A flight from Brest to New York in less than 20 hours is being planned at Paris. It will be undertaken next May. The trial will be made in the type of plane used by Lieut. Pelleter D'Ollies, hero of the Paris Tokio flight.

In the presence of President Cosgrave, and a large body of troops, General Duffy, unveiled, a Celtic Cross which had been erected at the foot of the hill where Michael Collins was shot and killed in 1922.

Joseph Dyk, a Winnipeg barrister, has been commissioned by the Federal Government to visit Poland to investigate the possibility of bringing to Western Canada for settlement Polish families with some means.

A bomb exploded in the courtyard of an apartment house in the Rue Marceau, Paris, France, injuring one woman whose face was cut by broken glass, and causing considerable damage to the building.

In order that the total attendance during the remaining period shall reach one million persons weekly, the Wembley Exhibition authorities have decided to reduce the admission fee to a shilling, beginning September 1.

Last year \$2,175,170 of outstanding foreign debts due to Canada was collected through our office in London, and this year we hope to collect more than \$1,000,000," said Hon. P. C. Larkin, Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain.

The first car of 1924 which to be shipped was moved Aug. 25 from Alberta, consigned to Keweenaw, Ont. It was a first-class sample of Rye wheat, weighing 64 pounds to the bushel and grading No. 1 Northern.

French trawlers have been prosecuted and fined at Newport, County Mayo, Ireland, for fishing within the three-mile limit. The trespassing boats were compelled to pay \$50.

Sask. Govt. Controls Kidney Plant

Manitoba and the Federal Government, it is announced, have signed over all interest in the Nitro-Quilling plant at Blenfonte to the Saskatchewan Government. The agreement is conditional upon the equipment being sold to a private company within a stipulated space of time. It is understood that the Saskatchewan Government has already started sale negotiations with western capitalists.

A Bird of Prey

Mr. Crow was a devout churchgoer. The young minister of his church was also devout, but easily embarrassed. Imagine the consternation of Mr. Crow and the delight of the congregation when the young deacon solemnly said at prayer meeting: "And now, will Brother Pray please crow for us?"

In Australia there are at least 20 species of animals that are aviators—flying squirrels, flying opossums, flying mice and even flying bears.

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Plan To Prevent War

League of Nations Committee Draws Up Outline of New Scheme

In view of the general repudiation of the draft pact for mutual assistance, the disarmament section of the League of Nations has drawn up an outline of a new tentative project, which provides that any member of the League may call the attention of the Council to the existence of danger of war in some designated region, whereupon the Council will meet for an immediate investigation.

If the Council finds that danger actually exists, it will invite the affected countries to withdraw their armies 50 or 100 miles from the frontier, to order the stoppage of all activation, to cease all war preparations, and mutually to agree to submit the question in dispute to the World Court of Justice or some arbitration tribunal. Any nation refusing to submit such dispute will be regarded as an aggressor nation and the other world powers signing the pact will be prepared to mobilize against the offender.

Disarmament and security will be the two great subjects of debate in the forthcoming assembly.

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Will Study Swamp Fever

New Research Laboratory Opened By University of Saskatchewan

A new research laboratory which will be devoted primarily to the study of swamp fever, but which will study all the principal diseases to which domestic animals are subject, has just been opened by the University of Saskatchewan, with Seymour, Hadwen, D.V.Sc., in charge. President W. C. Murray has announced.

The new building is a large one, with stable attached, located near the power house at the University. Swamp fever has exacted a heavy toll from farmers of the three prairie provinces ever since the first settlers began to bring in horses from the east, and the outbreak this year is unusually severe. The university and the province are taking a heavy loss in the death of Bondu Jean, the young Clydesdale mare which won the international championship at Chicago last year, as well as the Canadian championship at Weyburn, Man., this year. In Central and Northern Saskatchewan especially in the Saskatoon district, are losing many horses from this mysterious disease which has puzzled the scientists of North America, Europe, Japan and South Africa.

If one is troubled with corns, he will find in Hollusky's Corn Remover an application that will entirely relieve suffering.

Saskatchewan's Butter Production

Over Two Million Pounds Produced In A Single Month

P.E. Reed, Royal Commissioner for Saskatchewan, reports that the total amount of creamery butter manufactured in July, 1924, was 2,284,609 pounds, the first time in the history of Saskatchewan that it has been possible to record an output of over two million pounds in a single month. This total is 38,925 pounds in excess of the output during July, 1923, and in the period January to July, 1924, 1,075,999 more pounds of butter were manufactured by the creameries than in the same period in 1923. Mr. Reed also reports that nearly 93 per cent. of the total creamery butter manufactured has been graded, and between June 30 and the end of July an average of nearly half a million pounds of butter per week has been graded.

Light-Fingered Ghost

A Scotsman once spent his holidays at an hotel in one of our large towns. He spent quite a jolly time there, and, as he was leaving the night porter approached him. "I hope you slept well, sir," he said, holding forth his hand as though he was feeling to see if it was snowing. "I didn't tell you before you, because I thought it might unnerve you, but the room you were in is the one that the ghost haunts."

"Ah, yes," replied the Scotsman. "Ah put the tip Ab intended for ye on the dressing-table last night, an' the ghost must have appeared the noo an' tak it with him when he vanished."

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The Apple As A Food Factor

One of the Oldest of Beauty and Health Prescriptions

The apple holds first place as fruit food with the Canadian people. This is due to the chemical qualities and the low cost at which the apple is sold. Those best informed agree that the apple is a very beneficial food to eat, in that it tends to promote a very vigorous digestion. It is well to remember, however, that an apple should never be eaten either in the urine or the overripe condition. The green apple is well known for its power to upset the digestive system. It is always well to peel the apple before eating, or at least to wash it well.

In this connection the consumer of the apple will find it of great advantage to purchase by the original package, as this insures the variety, grade and quantity as stamped on the package; separates you with the district where the fruit was grown and is desirable from the sanitary viewpoint as it places the fruit in your hands free from contamination and exposure to rot and handling. In addition to that there is a saving in cost to the consumer as compared with buying in broken packages.

The western box package is preferable to the barrel, as it contains one-third the quantity, thus avoiding loss by deterioration before the fruit is consumed and also the necessity of frequent picking over. It is graded and packed under close inspection, the highest grades being carefully tissue to prevent bruising and when unwrapped will usually be found as perfect as when picked from the tree. Beginning this season a system of inspection of all B.C. fruit by federal officials will be put into operation, thus insuring more fully the quality to the consumers. Storage of apples should be where the atmosphere is dry, cool and subject to as little variation in temperature as possible.

It is believed this combination of B.C. skilled packing on the one hand and federal inspection on the other will be a guarantee that the fruit will measure up to the standards on the outside of the package.

An unpeeled ripe apple, eaten at night before retiring, in a glass of water to follow, is one of the oldest and healthiest and health prescriptions, keeping the digestive tract clear and thereby giving clearness of complexion. Dr. Barnard, former Chairman of Food Division of the American Chemical Society, says, "An apple in the evening will mechanically clean the teeth and protect them from the bacterial ravages during the night when the most damage is done."

Aluminum Church Bells

The village of Alten, near Cologne, boasts of the first church bells made of an alloy of aluminum and copper. Their weight being only one-third of the traditional bronze bells, the superstructures of the steeples may be built more lightly and inexpensively. Furthermore, there is no danger of the bursting or rusting of bells made of aluminum.

Oldest Relics Yet Found

New discoveries in Egypt in the next few years may put King Tutankhamen in the shade. Relics of Egypt's stone age—flat weapons, household pottery and ornaments—are being recovered as a result of new and deep excavations. They are of a pattern that dates them as older than any yet found in Europe.

Protect the child from the ravages of worms by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. It is a standard remedy, and years of use have enhanced its reputation.

Beachy Head is one of the highest of English cliffs. Its summit is 561 feet above the sea. The Welsh coast has several cliffs higher than Beachy Head. Holyhead is 719 feet, and Great Orme's Head 678 feet. St. Catherine's Cliff, Isle of Wight, beats all these. It is 830 feet high!

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FAMOUS SCOT AT C.N.R. OFFICES



FAMILIAR faces appear in this group snapped in front of the Canadian National Railways office, at 75 Union Street, Glasgow, Scotland. In the centre is Sir Harry Lauder, world-famous entertainer, chatting with W. D. Robb, vice-president of the Canadian National Railways, while behind Sir Harry is A. McOwan, well known in Western-Canada and now district superintendent of the C.N.R. for Scotland.

Viking

The East Bruce Schoolhouse, four miles east of Bruce, was totally destroyed by fire last Wednesday afternoon between five and six o'clock. The janitor, and the teacher John Noel, had left the school house about four o'clock when everything seemed alright. Efforts to save the building were fruitless. It was a one-story frame structure of the usual rural school type. We hear that rebuilding plans are already under way.

Mrs. G. M. Little received the sad news on Sunday that her father Mr. Knittel had died suddenly in Winnipeg. She left with her two children on Monday morning's train for Winnipeg to attend the funeral. Mr. Knittel held a responsible position with the Canadian National Railways and was a frequent visitor here, his last visit being over a month ago when he appeared hale and hearty.

Notices have been received by the ratepayers of the Viking Drainage District that a Court of Confirmation will be held at the Town Hall Viking on Monday, November 24th, to enforce the collection of the drainage taxes by the Drainage Council.

A meeting of the ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall, Saturday, Nov. 8th at 2:30 p. m. to consider the necessary steps to be taken to oppose the confirmation proceedings. Every body interested are requested to be present. If the ratepayers want to save their property from an illegal and unauthorized tax and prevent the confiscation of farms of neighbors who cannot possibly pay the tax, come out to this meeting and back the efforts being organized to put the case squarely up to Judge Taylor at the Court.

The dance held in Jensen's hall last Friday evening was a decided success in spite of the inclement weather. The decoration committee had certainly been on the job and made the hall look like a summer garden with seasonable Hallowe'en decorations adorning the walls. Mr. and Mrs. Barker of Bruce and Mrs. Cody, assisted by Messrs. G. T. Armstrong, Bruce Collier, Sid Stowe and H. G. Thunell furnished the music free of charge. After a very tasty luncheon at midnight dancing was resumed until 2:30. The local Women's Institute were sponsors for the affair and a neat sum was realized for the V.A.F.

Some of the curlers gathered in the waiting room of the rink last Thursday evening for a social gathering with Mr. A. A. Long, a member of the club who has removed to Iowa. He was presented with a pipe and when he was smoking it during the long winter evening in Iowa it will likely bring back fond memories of the nights spent with the boys here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Long and daughter Bernice and son Forrest left on Sunday morning's train for Lake City, Iowa, where they will make their future home. The best wishes of all go with them in their new surroundings.

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On Monday of this week radio fans heard John W. Davis, Democrat, and Calvin Coolidge, Republican, Presidential nominees, speaking from New York and Washington. The same evening Premier King spoke from Regina. They were all in good voice and the speeches came in clearly.

A very interesting service in the Baptist Church, Oakland, California, came through so clearly on Sunday evening that the splashing of the water was a noticeable feature.

The local G. W. V. A. are holding their annual banquet in the King Edward hotel on Tuesday evening, November 11th, at 7:30 o'clock and will follow the lines of banquets held in former years. The banquet is open to G. W. V. A. members, ex-service men of all allied forces and lady friend. Tickets are now on sale at 75 cents per plate, and may be procured from any member of the committee.

Hallowe'en passed off rather quietly in town compared with former years. Very little damage is reported with only a few loose articles scattered here and there about the streets.

A representative of the Salvation Army is in town today soliciting contributions for the furtherance of the work of the Army and is meeting with support from the business men.

The Scottish Harvesters' Concert Party did not show up for their engagement in Jensen's hall last Saturday night. No reasons given.

The regular meeting of the Viking Hospital Aid will be held at 3:30 on Tuesday, November 11th at the home of Mrs. McAthey.

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